

## Superior Court Filing and Service Fees

**The Clerk of the Superior Court's Office accepts cash, check and credit cards (Visa/Mastercard)  
for payment of Filing Fees and Most Services.**

**NOTE:** The Court fees and filing fees listed here are correct as of **September 26, 2008**. Fees do change periodically so it is best to check the Clerk's website at <http://clerkofcourt.maricopa.gov/fees.asp> to make sure you have the most current information regarding filing fees. If you feel you are not able to afford the court fees or filing fees and you want to proceed with your action, you may request the Court defer your fees and set up a payment plan with you. For the Deferral Packet, [click here](#).  
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AUTHORIZING STATUTE	SERVICE RENDERED	FEE
<b>JUVENILE</b>		
8-127	Petition or application for adoption	N/C
8-127	Contested adoption	N/C
8-127	Petition or application for adoption on a child who is a current ward of the court in the care, custody and control of DES	N/C
12-313(A)(4)	Petition for appointment of guardian of a minor	\$251.00
12-313(C)	Opposing petition for appointment of guardian of a minor	\$251.00
12-313(C)	Any person opposing a contested petition if no prior fee paid	\$186.00
12-284(J)	Petition for Emancipation	\$186.00
12-311, 12-284(A)(B)	Answer to Petition for Emancipation	\$208.00
<b>CIVIL</b>		
12-311	Complaint or petition	\$286.00
12-311	Answer or initial appearance	\$208.00
12-311	Separate answer – lengthy trial	\$223.00
12-284(A)(A)	Petition to take deposition (Civil Procedure Rule 30(h))	\$286.00
12-284(A)(A)	Petition for stay, special action or administrative review 12-311 (Civil case filing fee)	\$286.00
12-311	Petition for change of name	\$286.00
12-284(A)(A)	Filing a process server application	\$166.00
12-284(I)	Filing registrar's orders (A.R.S. § 32-1166.06)	N/C
12-312(A)	Filing intervenor	\$286.00
12-1705	Foreign judgment	\$286.00
12-284(F)(3)	Request for Hearing/Judgment debtor contesting garnishment	\$208.00
12-284(F)(2)	Answer of garnishee	N/C
12-407(E)	Change of venue for jurisdiction (out of this county) (A.R.S. § 12-404) plaintiff/petitioner pays fee	\$26.00
12-1809(D)	Injunction against harassment	N/C
12-1810(D)	Petition against work place harassment	\$286.00
12-407(C),(E)	Change of venue to this county	\$286.00
12-284(G)	O.S.C. - to appear and do one or more of the following: 1. Request affirmative or counter relief; 2. Attacks process of proceedings; 3. Takes other affirmative action.	\$208.00
12-2107(A)	Notice of appeal filing fee	\$88.00
12-2107(A)	Notice of filing cross appeal by Appellee	\$88.00
12-167	Small claims tax case	\$142.00
12-167	Tax court case	\$286.00
12-167, 12-311, 12-284(A)(B)	Tax court case answer (Civil case answer fee)	\$208.00
12-284(A)(E)	Civil traffic appeal	\$146.00
12-311, 12-914	Petition for Administrative Review	\$286.00

<b>FAMILY COURT</b>		
12-284(A)(C)	Petition for dissolution of marriage	<b>\$321.00</b>
12-284(A)(D)	Response or initial appearance in dissolution	<b>\$256.00</b>
12-284(A)(C)	Petition for legal separation	<b>\$321.00</b>
12-284(A)(D)	Response or initial appearance in legal separation	<b>\$256.00</b>
12-284(A)(C)	Petition for annulment	<b>\$321.00</b>
12-284(A)(D)	Response to petition for annulment	<b>\$256.00</b>
13-3602(D)	Order of protection	<b>N/C</b>
12-407(E)	Change of venue/transmittal fee	<b>\$26.00</b>
12-407(E)	Change of venue to this county	<b>\$286.00</b>
25-1058(B)	Petition to Enforce Custody Determination	<b>N/C</b>
12-1702, 1705	Foreign Judgment	<b>\$286.00</b>
12-312(A)	Intervenor	<b>\$286.00</b>
12-284(A)(C)	Petition for domestic relations case for which a fee is not specifically prescribed: foreign judgment for custody; establish support/custody; In Loco Parentis; grandparents rights	<b>\$251.00</b>
12-284(A)(D), 12-311	Response or initial appearance in a domestic relations case for which a fee is not specifically prescribed: response to foreign judgment or foreign judgment for custody; response to establish support/custody; response In Loco Parentis; response to grandparents rights; response to change of venue	<b>\$186.00</b>
12-284(A)(C)	Petition for domestic relations case for which a fee is not specifically prescribed: paternity; voluntary paternity; maternity	<b>\$316.00</b>
12-284(A)(D), 12-311	Response or initial appearance in a domestic relations case for which a fee is not specifically prescribed: paternity; voluntary paternity; maternity	<b>\$251.00</b>
12-284(A)(D)	Post-adjudication petitions, including Cross Petitions/Request for Hearings pursuant to a Request to Enforce, Child Support Modifications Pursuant to the Guidelines Simplified Procedure, Requests to Modify or Stop an Order of Assignment, Establishment of Child Support (pursuant to A.R.S. 25-502), Motion to Revoke or Suspend Child Support Order, Stop/Modify Order of Assignment, and Expedited Judgment of Arrears	<b>\$81.00</b>
<b>PROBATE, CONSERVATORSHIP, GUARDIANSHIP and FIDUCIARY</b>		
12-313(A)(1)	Petition in formal testacy or appointment proceeding	<b>\$251.00</b>
12-313(A)(2)	Application for informal probate or informal appointment	<b>\$251.00</b>
12-313(A)(3)	Petition for supervised administration	<b>\$251.00</b>
12-313(A)(4)	Petition to appoint guardian	<b>\$251.00</b>
12-313(A)(5)	Petition to appoint conservator or make protective order	<b>\$251.00</b>
12-313(B)	Single estate application or petition under Title 14, Chapter 3 (A.R.S. §14-3938)	<b>\$251.00</b>
12-313(C)	Opposing petition in testacy, or appointment proceedings or appointment of guardianship/conservatorship	<b>\$251.00</b>
12-313(C)	Any person opposing contested petition if no prior payment	<b>\$186.00</b>
14-3971(E),(F); 12-284(A)(C)	Petition for transfer of real property by affidavit	<b>\$251.00</b>
12-284(A)(D)	Post-judgment activities in probate cases	<b>\$81.00</b>
14-5314	Investigation Fee (Local Administrative Order 2003-024)	<b>\$400.00</b>
14-5414	Accounting Fee (Local Administrative Order 2003-024)	<b>\$300.00</b>
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>		
12-284(A)(E)	Issuance of any writ	<b>\$26.00</b>
12-284(A)(G)	Marriage license (includes covenant marriages)	<b>\$72.00</b>
12-284(A)(G)	Postage and handling	<b>\$7.00</b>
12-284(A)(G)	Fax Fee (handling)	<b>\$7.00</b>

12-284(A)(F)	Making copies	\$0.50
12-284(A)(E)	Certificate of correctness of copy of record	\$26.00
12-284(A)(F)	Comparison fee per page (documents furnished by party)	\$0.50
12-284(A)(E)	Exemplification per certification (2 seals @ \$18/ea)	\$52.00
12-284(A)(E)	Authentication per certification (3 seals @ \$18/ea)	\$78.00
12-284(A)(E)	Certification of official capacity of notary public / justice of the peace	\$26.00
12-284(A)(E)	Certificate of clerk to any matter in clerk's record not specifically provided	\$26.00
12-284(A)(E)	Payment history report	\$26.00
12-284(A)(E)	Filing transcript and docketing judgment from any court	\$26.00
12-284(A)(E)	Any filing or act for which a fee is not specifically prescribed (including Demand for Notice)	\$26.00
12-284(A)(E), (B)(5)	Issuance of each subpoena in civil and family court cases (civil cases include probate and tax cases)	\$26.00
12-284(A)(G)	Stop payment on a check	\$14.00
12-284(A)(E)	Reel of film/Alpha index per year (plus per page fee below)	\$26.00
12-284(A)(F)	Alpha index per page	\$0.50
12-284(A)(E)	Research in locating document (per year/source researched)	\$26.00
12-284(A)(E)	Power of attorney	\$26.00
12-284(A)(E)	Retrieve bank records	\$26.00
12-284(A)(E)	Certification under one document certification	\$26.00
25-510(D)	Spousal maintenance/child support handling fee (monthly fee, paid to the Clearinghouse)	\$2.25
<b>TRANSFER FROM JUSTICE COURTS</b>		
22-283	Appellant	\$286.00
22-283	Appellee	\$208.00
22-201(D), 12-284(A)(A)	Ownership of real property becomes issue (Plaintiff / Appellant)	\$286.00
22-201(D), 12-284(A)(B)	Ownership of real property becomes an issue (Defendant / Appellee)	\$208.00
22-201(G)	Jurisdiction exceeded (Appellee within 20 days of filing)	\$208.00